TROY, KANSAS:

Thursday, : :: November 23, 1876.

The Ead Draweth Nigh. The Presidency is still in doubt, but the end approaching. South Carolina is for Hayes, without a bitch or a quibble, on the official vote, and

Democratic fillibustering cannot change it. Florida is not yet decided, but is claimed positively for Hayes. The Returning Board will not ence the canvass until all the Counties are in, as the Democrats are holding back some of the Counties, in order to "mark up" their majorities, in case a canvass shows a probable Republican majority. The Republicans are too sharp

The Louisiana Canvassing Board has commenced work, with all the pomp and preliminary of the Alabama Awarding Commission. They have, up to this time, been debating with the Democratic Committes, politicians and roughs, who insist upon coming in and dictating their course. The Board refuses to be bullied, and the State looks favorable for Hayes.

The quibbling about two or three Republican Electors in the North have been unsuccessful; but, on the other hand, it is now found that six Democratic Electors in the South are ineligible, from never having had their disabilities remov-

Taking it all in all, our bump of Hope feels serene, and we shall believe that Hayes is the next President, until compelled to believe other-

The Democrats are now talking about rebelling if Hayes is declared elected, and of preventing his inauguration by force. Remembering the result of their former attempt at the same thing, polody is badly scared over it. But it is a very general impression, that if they get up another political rebellion, the work will be finished up before the war stops. Besides, old Buchanan is not President now-it is a man who does nothing by halves, but is always on hand at the right time and place-a man, in fact, whom the rebels know, and will take care to keep out of his way. President Grant has already commenced dispos-ing a military force about Washington. He is determined that the inauguration shall not be interfered with by armed rebels or mobs of Baltimore roughs.

GOOD GROUNDS FOR CONTEST .- At the October election, J. A. McMahon, Vallandighams's rebel nephew, beat John Howard, Republican, for Congress, in the Doniphan (Ohio) District by less than one hundred votes. Howard has contested the election, and in his notice to McMahon, he makes allegations which, if proven, will certainly turn the scale in favor of Howard. He enumerates 880 illegal votes that were cast for McMahon, 290 that were illegally received and returned by the boards, 20 votes for himself that were not counted, 50 for himself who were prevented from voting by violence, and 100 or more for himself who were deterred from going to the polls-a total of 1340 votes. He charges, besides, that whiskey was furnished voters in the interest of McMahon, and with his knowledge and consent, and that men were so drunk during the day that they were unable to vote intelligently; and that many of them voted for McMahon, who would otherwise have voted for him, and by their boisterous conduct, kept others from voting. We have not the slightest doubt that each and every charge is strictly

INEXCUSABLE BLUNDERS .- Considering the importance of the late lection, the watchfulness and trickery of the opposition, and the necessity for avoiding errors, the Republican party has shown a great lack of wisdom. Not less than three ble under the law, and several other there are provisions in the laws of those States will result from it; but the errors would have tors, especially when one vote may turn the scale. And there ought to be a sufficient number of capable Republicans in every State, without taking Postmasters or other Federal officebolders. It is but a repetition of what has been the rule in this and all other States-letting a and profit. They must have their ambition fed. even if it does jeopardize the success of the party.

On the night of the 7th inst., an attempt was made to steal the remains of Abraham Liucoln from the tomb at Springfield. The attempt was frustrated, and it is now reported that the Vandals have been caught. The object is said to have been to obtain the large reward which would have undoubtedly been offered for the recovery of the remains. As that was the night on which Tilden was reported elected President. being a rebel triumph over the cause headed by Lincoln, and the date of the downfall of the results of the war, possibly it was determined to destroy all that remained of Lincoln as well.

Oh, yes, the Hiawatha Herald is a consistent paper! In its last issue, it gives its usual kick at us for supporting a competent Democrat against an incompetent Republican, who obtained his nomination by trickery; and in the same issue, it highly commends the Maryville News, in its determination never again to support unworthy Republicans, who have obtained a party nomination by trickery. If we would only allow the Herald to judge for us as well as for itself what Republican candidates are worthy or unworthy, all would be levely.

At the recent election, Tilden voted for himself; Hayes modestly abstained from voting; Philadelphia, Pa., for specimen copy. and Peter Cooper voted for a portion of the Tilden Electors, and all of the balance of the Demchange," and that he preferred Tilden to Hayes. kept on the track for. Honest but deluded Greenbackers ought to be convinced, by this

make-up of the paper. We trust that the new management will tend to insure harmony among the Republicans of Holt County, which has been lacking for several years past.

LT A large majority of the Kansas papers are adopting the patent outside system. They are preparing for hard times. The patent sides are well printed, and contain good reading; but there is a distressing sameness about them, when one receives twenty or thirty exchanges a week, all alike.

IP A Missouri paper tells of a remarkable ouple living in that State, who were born in Cass County, North Carolina. The most remarkable thing about them appears to be the place of their birth, as there is no such County in North

The Colorado Legislature has elected man. But it shows pluck and independence to erome B. Chaffee and Henry M. Teller United go for a man, even if you don't know enough States Senators. Chaffee is a Banker, and Teller about him to know his name.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE FOR DECEMBER, 1876 .-Harper's Magazine for December, beginning the Fifty-fourth Volume, is not only a specially attractive Number, from the beauty of its numerons illustrations, but is also distinguished by the unusual variety and interest of its contents. The Number is embellished with more than eighty exquisite engravings, and contains, besides

field of magazine literature.

The descriptive illustrated papers treat Genea and its celebrities, living and dead; the Phillippine Islands; recent important ethnologioveries in Tennessee; and the social life of the Knickerbockers of New York two hundred years ago. Porte Crayon's illustrated paper on Boys and Girls" is in his characteristic style.

Two of the illustrated contributious are poems. 'Tne Book of Gold," by J. T. Trowbridge, is a powerful and dramatic Christmas story in verse. "At Two Score," by T. B. Aldritch, while it is sufficiently personal to be welcome to the poet's many friends, is not egotistical, and will be read with delight by all lovers of poetry. The other poetical contributions to this Number are of unusual excellence-notably Paul Hayne's "Muscadines," which reminds one of some of the happiest efforts of the older English poets.

The most important feature of the Number is titude toward this country during the late war. There is a very large audience in America that will regard with the greatest interest this comnunication from England's wisest statesman Mr. Gladstone's letter is very happily followed land and America."

In fiction this Number is brilliant, R. D. Blackmore, the author of "Lorna Doone," and "The Maid of Sker," begins a new novel, entitled "Erema; or, My Father's Sin." In the current Number of a "Woman Hater" there is an exceedingly entertaining chapter touching upon the subject of woman's higher education. Miss Thackeray's exciting story, "Peat Fields," is concluded. There are also in this number four exciting short stories.

The Editor's Easy Chair discresses Political Mass-Meetings, Newspapers and Orators, Our transatlantic Critics, and the Kitchen Question, concluding with some suggestive hints as to beefsteak and apple pie. The other editorial departments are well sustained.

A MAGAZINE NOVELTY .- Great will be the wailing among the little folks this month, for St. Nicholas for December, which has ordinarily been issued on the 20th, is to be held back until the 25th; but it is then to be the Grand Christmas Holiday Number.

We have not had a peep even at its pages, but Editor and Publisher promise to do their very best, and that means a great deal where St. Nicholas is concerned.

They tell us, among other contributions to this number, will be a paper by Mr. Bryant, "The Boys of My Boyhood," i. c ., the boys of the latter part of the last century or the beginning

The number will have nearly one hundred pages

erest the young folks ?

and over fifty pictures. Prof. Proctor, the English astronomer, contribites a paper called "A Clock in the Sky," illus trated by drawings showing how the tail of the Great bear points out the time of night.

Then there is the account of the great "Horse Hotel," with very spirited pictures; an article by Lucy Larcom, "The Poetry of Winter," besides lots of Christmas Stories, accounts of cu rious Oriental Sports, and more good things than we can find space to mention.

Besides all this, J. T. Trowbridge begins his new story for boys, "His Own Master," in this Christmas Holiday Number of St. Nicholas. Need we say more? Could we say more to in-

Godey's Lady's Book, for December, which is now before us, closes the year 1876. It is the Electors have been chosen on Republican tickets, last number of the 93d volume, or the middle of who were Postmasters at the time, rendering the 47th year of its publication. In that long on the stump in Kansas. At first, his speeches were sort were ineligible from other causes. As it happens, | Magazine literature of its class, and it seems to grow fresher with advancing years. This numfor remedying such defects, and nothing serious ber is illustrated with "My Pets," "The Showman's Pets," "The Slide," Colored Fashion been committed all the same, had there been no Plate and, the usual amount of Fashions, remedy. It would not require much trouble to Patterns, etc. The Premium Chromo, or make sure of the eligibility of so small a number | 1877, is called "The Mother's Joy." Every of men as each State needs for Presidential Elec- \$3 subscriber for the coming year will receive the Book and this Chromo, postage free; or, a choice out of half a dozen other Chromos, if they prefer either to the above. The subscription price of the Lady's Book is \$3 a year to single subscribers; 2 copies, \$5; 3 copies, \$7.50; 4 cop-

ies, \$10; 5 copies, \$14; 8 copies, \$21; 11 copies, select few monopolize all the positions of honor \$27.50; 23 copies, \$55. For all clubs of 5 and over, the getter up of the club receives an extra copy. All club subscribers receive the premium bromo. Address L. A. Godey, Philadelphia, Pa. We have made arrangements by which we can urnish the Lada's Rook to Chief subscribers only

> at the lowest club rate, including the Chromo. We have just received a copy of the prenium Chromo, "The Mother's Joy." It is a very handsome and expressive picture. A copy of this Chromo will be given to every subscriber to the Lady's Book, for 1877.

> tr Loss from receiving Counterfeit Money seed never be incurred. All bandling bank notes have only to keep at hand for consultation Peterson's Counterfeit Detector, a semi-monthly publication containing descriptions of all counerfeit notes as soon as they appear. Every number of the Detector contains likewise lists of all the National and State banks in the country, financial news and items, price current, reviews of the money and stock markets, &c., and is, in short, a very valuable publication, and no business man in the country should be without it. The rate of subscription for the Monthly issue is only \$1.50 a year; Semi-monthly, \$3.00 a year. subscriptions may commence with any month. and are payable in advance. A canvasser could get up a list of subscribers for it in this neighborhood. Address T. B. Peterson & Brothers,

As there is a great furore now about Old Coins, we would advise all to get a copy of Petersous' ocratic ticket, remarking that we "needed a Coin Book, containing perfect fac-simile impres sions of the Coins of the World It will be sent That's just what the old seed was nominated and by mail, postage paid, on receipt of \$1-by T. B. Peterson & Brothers, Philadelphia, Pa.

THE WESTERN RURAL .- Milton George, a prac tical and successful farmer, and for several years Adam Klippel has sold the Holt County connected with the editorial staff of the Western Sentinel to W. W. Davenport, who took charge of Rural, has become the owner of that popular it last week. We notice a decided change in the | and sterling Farm and Family Weekly, and has reorganized it upon a firmer basis than ever before. It is now greatly improved, and has the ablest and best editorial staff and list of contributors to be found on any agricultural paper in the country. It is also the Champion of Cheap Transportation and equal justice to all classes. Combining its practical information on Rural Affairs with its entertaining and instructive literary departments, make it the most Complete

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The And now the Hiawatha Herald takes water, after having called sombody a thief and a swindler. The fun of it is, the Herald abused the wrong man, and apologizes to the wrong man. But it shows pluck and independence to man the following of the Divine favor.

In testimony whereof, I have herennto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State to be affixed, at Topeka, this 9th day of November, A. D. 1876.

The Hiawatha Dispatch has adopted the patent outside. A great improvement. The next effort should be to make the inside readable.

The Hiawatha Dispatch has adopted the patent outside. A great improvement. The make defeated. We don't know the reason why. This is the right season of the year for him.

It was John Morrissey's deal, and as he slipped three aces in his sleeve, he remarked: "The Republicans ought to be beat—go you four better—for allowing an infidel like Ingersoll to speak—I takes the pot."

ren's "Bay Shooting" in Scribner for December, the second of the series of papers on American Sports, is in a somewhat lighter vein than Mr. Wilkinson's "Salmon-Fishing." As the spirited outline illustrations suggest, it is full of fun and anecdote, but the hard work of coast shooting is not therefore slighted. Other humorous pathe live editorial departments, twenty-four cou- pers are "Mr. Quatty's Great Speech," by Wm. tributions, covering every possible variety in the ided of magazine literature.

M. Baker, (with a tempting picture); and James T. Field's clever sketch of Cyrus J. Machmore, who is appropriately described as "A Peculiar Charles Barnard writes with interest of "Toad Lane, Rochdale," and its co-operative

ractive and growing institution, "Lafayette College," in a well-illustrated paper. Mrs. Herrick writes a popular science paper about "Single celled Plants," drawing her own wood-cuts on the block. "An American in Turkistan" is the title of an article from Eugene Schnyler's new book, portraying with pen and pencil the life of the little-visited tribe in Western Asia. The Turco-Russian difficulties give a timely interest to this paper, and also to Charles Dudley Warner's "Saunterings about Constantinople," a few pages farther on. "Our Diplomates and Consuls," by Albert Rhodes, ccutains some wise enggestions worth the attention of the Civil Service reformer. Mr. Hale's serial, "Philip No-Mr. Gladstone's manly letter, explaining his at- lan's Friends" is completed, and "That Lass o'Lowrie's" is continued, "Or d Sammy Craddock" meeting with a severe loss. This number also contains the first installment of Dr. Hol land's new story, "Nicholas Minturn," in which Nicholas is presented to the reader and also to
Miss Larkin. There are signs of love and dan.

The Best Way to Buy Them by a timely poem from Bishop Coxe on "Eng- Miss Larkin. There are signs of love and danger ahead.

The poetry of the number is by Annie R. Anan, (a poem of rare beauty, entitled "Maidenhood"), Rose Terry Cooke, Mary E. Bradley, and Ellen M. H. Gates, (author of "Your Mission"). In "Topics of the Time," Dr. Holland pays ribute to the late George B. Bacon, and writes of "Mr. Huxley's Visit," "The Better Times," and "The Interest of Fiction." "The Old Cabinet" has a stanza under the title of "Mystic." and discusses the "Philistines," "Egotism," "Re form," "'Daniel Derouda' as a Vindication of Bohemianism," "The Best Society," etc. "Brica-Brac" contains a variety of amusing verse and sketches. In the other departments important topics are ably and suggestively handled.

When Sol. Miller, of the Kansas Chief, was here, a few weeks ago, he was talking about Hayes carrying New York. Wonder what he tninks about the matter now !— Germantoen (O.) Press.

When Sol. Miller, of the Kansas Chief, was there, a few weeks ago, you were talking about Tilden carrying Ohio. What do you think about

You were also talking about roasting an ox whole. What do you think about the ox hole f

The Topeka Blade, having defeated Anthony and demolished Veale, is now amusing itself with the Commonwealth, until some other game starts up. What a thing it is to be mighty !

The It is a fact that a large proportion of merican voters need a better political education They ought to be sent to the Electoral College.

The Topeka Blade of November 41st ha

CORRESPONDENCE.

LETTER EROM LAWRENCE.

LAWRENCE, KAS., Nov. 13, 1876. ED. CHIEF:-Outside, the wind is raging, and driving the sleet down with such a force as to suggest that it were trying to make things as disagreeable as possible. Politics are the theme of the day, and are discussed in rollics are the theme of the day, and are discussed in as many different ways as there are candidates for office. The majority of people are happy because Kansas con-ducted herself so nobly in this campaign. Mr. Goodin has gone to his home, like a fex sneaking off to his burrow, to dream of the impossibilities of life, and the favor with which a traitor and a hypocrite is held in a commo nity so civilized as Douglas County. Mr. D. C. Haskell the champion and victor, is taking a short period of recand further into the fray, he became more accustomed to his new departure, and soon became almost a second most eloquent ever delivered in Lawrence—in fact, it was so good that it would scarcely be called a speech;

Everybody is waiting with "eager cars" to learn who letter is published, it is probable that the problem will President since the time of Andrew Jackson, say they never saw more enthusiasm or interest displayed than

during this campaign.

There are but five temperance men in Douglas Co we are to judge from the number of votes that Smith ort, the whole ticket was so poorly patronized, that Mr. Beach has announced the discontinuance of the Sen-tinel, the organ of temperance, until further notice. About two hundred Russians are stationed at Bis-

marck, one mile from this city. A visit to their quarters is full of interest and instruction. They subsist princi-pally on potatoes, pork, and some sort of rude bread. They remind one of a tribe of Indians, the women percase. They are a jolly set of human beings, and when they become familiar with American customs, they will make the very best of citizens. CARLOS NOGOS.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

From year to year we have been accustome to pause in our daily pursuits, and set apart a time to offer up thanks to the Almighty God for special blessings he has vouchsafed to us, with our prayers for a continuance thereof. We have at this time equal reason to be thankful for his con tinued protection and for the many material bles sings which his bounty has bestowed. In addition to these favors accorded to us as individuals, we have especial occasion to express our hearty thanks to Almighty God that, by his providence and guidance, our government, es-tablished a century ago, has been enabled to fulfill the purpose of its founders, in offering an asylum to the people of every race, securing civ-il and religous liberty to all within its borders, and meting to every individual alike justice and equality before the law. It is, moreover, espec-ially our duty to offer our humble prayers to the By reason of all these considerations, I. Ulys

ses S. Grant, President of the United States, re-commend the people of the United States to de-vote the 30th day of November next to the expression of their thanks and prayers to Almigh ty God, and laying aside their daily avocation and all secular occupations, to assemble in their respective places of worship, and observe such a day as a day of rest. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the city of Washington, this 26th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and first. U. S. GRANT, By the President.

HAMILTON FISH, [L. s.] Secretary of State. THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

> STATE OF KANSAS, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

A year of plenty and prosperity is drawing to close, and it is right and proper that we unite in returning thanks to the Supreme Being for His wise guidance and beneficent care. Therefore I. Thomas A. Osborn, Governor of Kansas, in pursuance of a custom older than the State, and in harmony with the proclamation of the President of the United States, do set apart

[L. S.] THOS. A. OSBORN
By the Governor,
THOS. H. CAVANAUGH, Secretary of State.

THE COLORADO SENATORS.—The long agony THE COLORADO SENATORS.—The long agony is over; the Colorado Senators are chosen, and their names are Jerome B. Chaffe and Henry M. Teller. This result, which some have foreseen from the beginning, was effected by an unanimous vote of the Republican members present in each house, and apparently with their hearty consent. The contest between the partisans of other gentlemen whose names were presented for the honor of the high office had been waged so earnestly and protracted so long that almost with one accord they accepted the success of Mr. Teller as the nearest possible approach to consolation for the defeat of their own favorites.—

Deuter News, November 15.

Says the Seneca Courier: The defeat of Judge Hubbard is one of the most remarkable events of the campaign that closed on Tuesday last. stores. Donald G. Mitchell describes the atof the campaign that closed on Tuesday last. On the eve of the electior there was a batch of conflicting affidavits p (dilished and circulated by himself and enemies that completely dumfounded the people, and 1sd to Judge Hubbard's disastrous defeat, and the election of a Democratic successor in the person of Mr. Otis. Mr. Otis has in a measure kept personally out of the indicial fight, and will go on the bench without bitter feelings on the part of the bar. We shall look for better days as a consequence.

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B Y mutual consent of the undersigned, the partner-ship of Drs. Cash & Ashmead is this day dissolved. Parties indebted to the firm will settle with the physician whose services they received.
ALBERT ASHMEAD, M. D.
B. S. CASH.
Troy, Ks., Nov. 20th, 1876.
nov. **T.—`lw.

Final Settlement.

Estate of E. A. Spencer, Decrased. NOTICE is hereby given, to all persons interested in the Estate of E. A. Spencer, late of Doniphan County, deceased, that I will make final settlement of said Estate, with the Probate Court of said Doniphan County, Kansas, on Monday, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1856, at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day.

M., of said day, as, November 20, 1std. JANE W. SPENCER, Administrateix, Pr's fee, 83.

Sheriff's Sale. STATE OF KANSAS, | 88.

the District Court for Doniphan County, Kansas. J. S. Long. Plaintiff.

A. M. Kendall, Defendant. A. M. Kendall, Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will, on the 5th day of Deember, A. D. 1876, at the hour of 2 o clock, P. M., of said day, at the farm known as the Kendall Farm, about 3 ciles north of Severance, in Bouiphan County, State of . mass, offer for sale, at public auction, for cash, the following described personal property, to wit: The undivided two-fifths (25-) of all the corn green the present year and now standing on the south west quarter and the south half of the north-west quarter of Section one (1). Township three (3), Range nineteen (19); also, the undivided one-third (4) of about sixteen (16) acres of oats, and the undivided one-third (4) of about sixteen (16) acres of oats, and the undivided one-third (4) of about twelve (12) acres of spring wheat, grown toe present year on said above described lands. Taken as the property of A. M. Kendall, and offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash, to satisf a certain judgment and costs, now of record in the District Court for Douiphan County, in the State of Kanses, in which J. S. Long is plaintiff, and A. M. Kendall is defendant.

Given under my hand, this 21st day of November, A. D.

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Given under my hand, this 21st day of November, A.D.
B76.
THOMAS J. VANDERSLICE,
Sheriff of Doniphan County.
Pr's fee, \$6.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF KANSAS, SS.
DONIPHAN COUNTY,
In the District Court for Doniphan County, State of Kansas. Charles J. Drury, & Plaintiff, John T. Mann, and Defendants.

Many F. Mann,

NOTICE is hereby given, that I will, on the 23d day of December, A. D. 1876, at the hour of two o clock, P. M., of said day at the north door of the Court House, in the city of Troy, in Doniphan County, State of Kansas, of fer for sale, at public auction, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit. The cast half of the south, west quarter os Section fifteen (15), in Township four (4), of Range twenty-one (21), in Doniphan County, Kansas, Taken as the property of John I. Mann, and Mary F. Mann and offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash, to satify a certain judgment and costs, now of record in the District Court for Doniphan County, State of Kansas, in which Charles J. Drury is plaintiff, and John T. Mann and Mary F. Mann are defendants.

Appraised at \$1,100.00.

Given under my hand, this 21st day of November, A. D. 1856.

THOMAS J. VANDERSLICE, Sheriff of Doniphan County. November 23, 1876-5w. Pr'a Gee, \$10.50.

Sheriff's Sale. STATE OF KANSAS, 188.

in the District Court for Doniphan County, Sta Albert Perry. Elam Rice,
David Rice,
John Rice,
Alfred Rice,
Samuel Rice,
Johannah Young and
Eliza J. Combs. Defendants

Johannah Young, and Eliza J. Comba.

Notice is bereby given, that I will, on the 20d day of December, A. D. 1876, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M. of said day, at the North door of the Court House, in the city of Iroy, in Doniphan County, State of Kansas, offer for sale, at publis auction, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: The north-west quarter of the north-west quarter of Section eight (9), in Township three (3), of Range twenty (20), and the north-east quarter of the north-west quarter of Section eight (8), in Township three (3), of Range twenty (20), in Doniphan County, Kansas. Taken as the property of Elam Rice et al., and offered for sale to the highest hidder for cash, to satisfy a certain judgment and costs, now of record in the District Court of Doniphan County, in the State of Kansas, in which Albert Perry is Plaintiff and Elam Rice et al. are Defendants.

Given under my hand, this 21st day of November, A. D. 1876.

Sheriff of Boniphan County.

November 23, 1878.—5w.

Pr. a fee, 872.

THE STATE OF KANSAS, | SS. In the District Court for Doniphan County, State of Kane

George Bicknell, Plaintiff. A. M. Kendall Defendant.

A. M. Kendall. Defendant.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I will, on the Eld day of December. A. D. 1878, at the hour of two o'clock, P. M. of said day, at the North door of the Court House, in the city of Troy, in Domiphan County, State of Kansas, offer for sale, at public auction, for cash, the following described real estate to wit: Lota one (1) and two (2). in Block seven (3), in the town of Severance; also Lots nine (9) and teo (10), in Block five (5), in Clonch's Addition to the town of Severance, all in Boniphan County, Kansas. Taken as the property of A. M. Kendall, and offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy a certain judgment and costs, now of record in the District Court for Doniphan County, in the State of Kansas, in which

fendant.
Given under my hand, this 21st day of November, A. D.
1576.
T. J. VANDERSLICE.
Sheriff of Doniphan County.
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Notice by Publication.

the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the State of Kansas, sitting within and for Doniphan County Adaline Ford, Bolivar B. Bayne, Mary E. Bayne, Duncan McIntosh,

**E John T. Kirwan, Defendants.

THE said defendants. Bolivar B. Bayne, Mary E. Bayne, and James N. Barnes, non-residents of the State of Kansas, are hereby notified that they and Dancan McIntosh and John T. Kirwan have been sned in the abovenamed Court; that the plaintiff. Adaline Ford, filed her petition in said Court against you, on the 16th day of November. A. D. 1876; and you, the said Bolivar B. Bayne, Mary E. Bayne, and James N. Burnes, must answer said petition of plaintiff on or before the 4th day of January, A. D. 1877, or the petition will be taken as true, and judgment rendered against the said defendant, Bolivar B. Bayne, for the sam of thirteen hundred and fifty dollars, and interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent, per Bayne, for the sam of thirteen hundred and fifty dollars, and interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent, per annum, from Jane Js. A. D. 1875, and for the further ann of two hundred and eighty-six dollars and one cent for taxes paid on the mortgaged premises hereinafter described, and one hundred and fifty dollars attorney's fee, for plaintiff's attorney herein; and for the foreelosure and sale of the following described lands, to wit: the south half of the south-east quarter of section thirty-six, (36) in township two, (2) of range nineteen (19) cast, and also the neith-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section one, (1) in township three (3) south, of range nineteen (19) cast, all in Donlphan County, Kansas, which was mortgaged to the said plaintiff by the said defendants. Bolivar B. Bayne and Mary E. Bayne, his wife, to secure the payment of the said sum of money as aforementioned, and due the plaintiff on a promissory note executed by said Bolivar B. Bayne to said plaintiff, Adaline Ford, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1875, and due in twelve months after the date thereof, and forcelosing and barring all interest of the said defendants, and cach of them, in and to said lands above described, and for costs of suit.

B. A. SEAVER,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

Administrator's Notice. NOTICE is hereby given that I have been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Archibald Webb, deceased, late of Doniphan County, State of Kansas, by the Probate Court of said County. All claims against said Estate must be presented for allowance within three years from this date, or they will be barred by the statute of limitation.

W. D. WEBB. ite of limitation. W. D. Administrator Estate Archibald Web November 23, 1876–3w.

Complaint in Attachment.

John Pauley and Plaintiffs.

G. Ostertag,

U. Ostertag.

Yes.

J. F. Livezey
and
W. Heckman.

Plaintiffs demand, 492.50.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on the 13th day of November, 1876. S. L. Ryan, a Justice of the Peace of Wolf River Township, Doniphan County, Kansas, issued an order of attachment in the above-named case, for the sum of sixty-two and 50 100ths dollars, and that said cause will be heard on the 18th day of December, 1876, at 10 celuck. A. M.

JOHN PAULEY.

Notice by Publication.

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District the State of Kansas, sitting in and for the County Doniphan.

November 9, 1876-1w.

PETER VARNOX.

By A. PEREY, his Attorney.

Prace, 6.

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STRAYED from Troy, two 3-year-old Heifers—on Maring the latter part of the Sammer, the other about the last of October. They were deep red, rather wild, and were fat at the time of leaving. Supposed both to have gone south-west. A liberal reward will be paid for their selivery in Troy, or reliable information of their where abouts.

Nov. 16, 1876-3w. Final Settlement

Estates of John J. and Sarah Collins, Deces

Estates of John J. and Sarah Collins, Deceased.

To Creditors and all others interested in said Estates.

You are hereby notified, that I will make final settlement in said Estates, with the Probate Court of Donin phan County, State of Kansas, on Thursday, the 14th day of December, 1876, at 10 o'clock, A. M., of said day.

Troy, Kansas, November 2, 1876.

JOSEPH W. COLLANS, Administrator.

November 3, 1876-4w.

Pr's fee, 63.

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LOUISVILLE, KY., Oct. 8, 1969. Dr. John Bull-Dear Sir: Many thanks to you for the nedicine you have so kindly given me. I have been a great sufferer for years, and had the advice of various physicians. Some pronounced my spine, some my lungs, and some my heart to be the seat of my disease. I have been burnt, blistered and cupped until I had become diseartened. Several very eminent physicians who examned my spine, informed me that I was threatened with paralysis or apoplexy any day, and that nothing but a seton would relieve me. I had a perfect horror of that, and was hesitating about having one inserted, when you kindly sent me your Sarsaparilla, which I immediately begun to take three times a day. I had suffered terribly with a most scute pain in the right side of my head, especially when I would read or write for any length of

to prevent falling. head is entirely relieved; I suffer but seldom with my spine, and then not so acutely. My appetite is good; muleed for the first time in my life I enjoy my dinner Normal School, spine, and then not so acutely. My appetite is good; ore than any meal during the day.

ime, and on rising to my feet I would be perfectly blind

You kindly sent me four bottles again last night, and I began again this morning, and I hope to be entirely relieved. Please accept my heartfelt thanks and best Vore truly

M. B. C. RIVERS.

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A void all those who are trying to palm off on you other extracts of Sarsaparilla so-called. Remember it is Dr. John Bull's Sarsaparills, of Louisville, Ky., that is the old and reliable remedy for impurities of the blood and rofulous affections. Always bear that in mind.

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BENTON BARRACKS, Mo., April 30, 1866. Dr. John Bull-Dear Sir: Knowing the efficacy of your Sersaparilla, and the healing and benedicial qualities it ssesses, I send you the following statement of my case: I was wounded about two years ago, was taken prisoner and confined for sixteen months. Being moved so often my wounds have not bealed yet. I have not sat up a mo sent since I was wounded. I am shot through the hips. My general health is impaired, and I need something to assist nature ; I have more faith in your Sarsaparilla than anything else. I wish that which is genuine. Please ex press me half a dozen bottles, and oblige,

P. S.-The following was written April 30th, 1866, by Mrs. Jennie Johnson, mother of Capt. Johnson : Dr. John Bull-Dear Sir; My husband, Dr. C. S. John son, was a skillful surgeon and physician of Central New

York, where he died, leaving the above C. P. Johnson to my care. At thirteen years of age he had a chronic diarrhem and scrofula, for which I gave your Sarsaparilla. It cured him. I have for ten years recommended it to many in New York, Ohio and Iowa, for scrofula, fever sores, and general debility. Perfect success has attended it. The cures effected in some cases of scrofula and fever sores were almost miraculous. I am very anxious for my son to again have recourse to your Sarsaparilla. He is fearful of getting a spurious article, hence his writing to you for it. His wounds were terrible, but I believe be

Respectfully, JENNIE JOHNSON.

BULL'S

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F. H. DRENNING.

A TTORNEY AT LAW, and Register of Deeds of Doniphan County. Office in Court House, Troy. Kanasa. Titles examined and corrected. Abstracts of title made. Deeds. Mortgages, and all kinds of legal papers, carefully drawn. All legal business will be carefully attended to.

20 jan 16.

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PRICE & HEATLEY, THOS. W. HEATLET. A TTORNEYS AT LAW, Troy, Doniphan County, jan15.

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A TTORNEY AT LAW, Troy, Kansas.
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First Term will begin September 4th, 1876, and close First Term will begin September 13th, 1876, and close January 20th, 1877.

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Plaintiff.

Catherine Springer and Catherine Springer and Catherine Springer and Catherine Springer A. D. 1876, at two o'clock, P. M., of said day, at the North door of the Court House, in the city of Troy, in Deniphan County, State of Kansan, offer for sale, at public anction, for cash, the following described read estate, to wit: The North-west quarter of Section twenty (50), in Township two (50), of Range nineteen (19), in Doniphan County, State of Kansan. Taken as the property of Jacob Springer and Catherine Springer, and offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy certain judgments and coats, now of record in the District Court for Doniphan County, in the State of Kansan, in which W. H. Forbes is plaintiff, and Jabob Springer and Catherine Springer are defendants.

Approximat at the sum of \$3,000.68.

Given under my hand, this 20th day of October A. D. 1876.

Sheriff of Doniphan County, Pra foe, \$10.50.